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HOBBERLIN CLOTHES
CONSPICUOUS
for their
GOOD VALUE
and
DISTINCTIVE CHARACTER.
Leonard Ferne, clothier
Bow Island

Conserving Moisture for 1919 Crop.

(Experimental Farms Note)
Moisture is one of the main controlling factors in crop production in the prairie provinces.

Three methods of conserving moisture are:
First, to have the ground in such a condition that the rainfall will soak down and not run off.

Second, to keep the surface of the soil sufficiently fine and loose that the upward movement of the water is checked two or three inches from the surface, and held there.

The third method of conserving moisture is to destroy all weed plants on cultivated ground.

Most farmers summer-fall a part of their farm with two objects in view, to store up moisture and destroy the weeds. Experiments on the Scott Station have shown that early ploughed summerfallow will store up more moisture and give heavier crops than the succeeding year than late ploughed fallows. Ploughing the middle of May has given 2.5 bushels more wheat per acre than ploughing in July. June ploughing has given 2.5 bushels more than July ploughing. This increased yield from early ploughing is due to not only storing more moisture but to less loss of moisture from weed plants, that grow up on the late fallows.

It is sometimes thought the ploughing down a crop of weeds will have material benefits. Experiments conducted have shown that there is not only a loss of moisture due to the weeds using it but it is difficult to cover the weeds and make them decay in a reasonable time. Then too, the ground is left in a more open condition, permitting drying out. Experiments at the Scott Station have shown that ploughing down green crops such as peas and vetches does not give as good returns as does incorporating barnyard manure into the soil.

Early ploughed summerfallow, well cultivated with the duckfoot cultivator will mean an increase in yield and the frequency with which the land is summerfallowed and the number of weeds present will be determining factors in regulating the amount of cultivation necessary.

It might be pointed out that where summerfallowing alternate years is practiced and there is a reasonable amount of moisture the land will not stand the same amount of cultivation then land will that is only summerfallowed once in three or four years. Especially is this true in the northern districts where early autumn frosts prevail.

AUTO CLUB ESTABLISHES ROAD MARKS.

(Lethbridge Herald)
At a well attended meeting of the Lethbridge Auto Club held in the Board of Trade rooms last night estimates were approved for marking all the roads in this district. A start has already been made by putting up the direction signs in the city. The various trunk roads through Lethbridge will be marked as follows:

Black Ball Route—Calgary to Coats via Alderside, Nobleton and Lethbridge.

Black Band Route—Lethbridge to Waterton Lakes via Cardston.

White Ball Route—Glacier Park via Macleod through to Athabasca Landing.

Red Ball Route—Wahs to Crow's Nest through Lethbridge. This is the All Red Route.

Railway Crossings will be marked thus: —+—+—+—

Work on posting the All Red Route has been completed as far west from Wahs as Taber, according to word received by the local club from R. B. Beattie of the Wheat Belt Motor Club, Bow Island.

Take a Holiday.

Here's a Good One.

Medicine Hat is determined to present to the public of Western Canada in her 1918 SUMMER FAIR and STAMPEDE the premier Summer attraction of the year. The educational feature will be well looked after with large exhibits of Live Stock, Poultry, Farm and Domestic Products, Fine Art Exhibits and the latest and most up-to-date Machinery.

The amusement part of our program has not been neglected. There will be Horse Races, Base Ball Tournament, Large Midway and Five Premier Platform Attractions, including the BAL-ZAR SINGERS, direct from the New York Hippodrome, three pretty young ladies in a bewitching and captivating act of skill and daring, Hobson & Nichols, two comedians who play Bumpy stumps and create foolish tricks that keep the audience in good humor—Jack and Jill, The Fritches, and Elwood and Rose, all of whose acts are new, novel, pleasing, and had not by no means least, will be staged the largest and most stupendous STAMPEDE ever attempted in Western Canada.

The success which attended the Stampede in 1917 is ample assurance that nothing of an inferior nature will be offered to our patrons in 1918. Mr. A. P. Day is Arena Director and will be assisted by Mr. Ray Knight, which is a guarantee that the 1918 Stampede will be a Show well worth the trouble and expense of going to see. Something doing all the time—Day & Knight.

Ample accommodation has been provided and every precaution for the comfort and enjoyment of visitors has been arranged.
Keep the dates—JULY 18, 19 and 20, 1918, open, and round out your summer vacation by visiting Medicine Hat's 1918 Summer Fair and Stampede.

United Church Service at the Chautauqua Tent.

United religious services, representing all churches, will be held every Sunday at 8:30 a.m. in the Chautauqua tent. Brief addresses, good music, sacred songs, etc. Everybody welcome.

Services on Sunday in the Bow Island United Church will commence at 7:30 p.m. Please note the time.

There has been an erroneous idea prevalent in this part of the country about registration on June 22 for the Man and Woman Power Act of Canada. Every person who has attained the age of 16 years will be compelled to register and must report just the same as those 30 years of age. There is no age limit stated in the act, all persons over 16 years of age are affected and everyone residing in Canada must register on June 22 at any booth, which may be convenient on that day.

One hundred and ten thousand visitors took a holiday last year at the Calgary Exhibition, and the number will most likely be considerably increased this year. The event will be held at Calgary, June 25th to July 6th.

There are reduced passenger rates from Alberta points, and the Exhibition conducts at the C. P. R. station in Calgary a free bureau for securing accommodation in case you do not stay at a hotel.
Girls' and Boys' Day, Saturday, June 29th, will be a grand exhibition in itself. They will compete for \$1500 in prizes, and it will be the young people's greatest day.

Saturday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will be the ideal days for the grandest display of live stock ever seen in Western Canada.

Arrangements have been made for parking and checking automobiles on the Exhibition grounds.
Exhibition entries close on June 14th, and the list may be obtained by writing E. L. Richardson, Manager Calgary Industrial Exhibition, Calgary, Alta.

Nose Bags for Horses

SCREEN DOORS & WINDOWS

Tank Pumps
and --- Hose

Everything in Hardware.

OSTRUM'S
HARDWARE STORE.
MAIN STREET BOW ISLAND

Just in Time.

Nose Nets for your Horses

Screens for Doors
and Windows.

Builders will find our prices on Hardware the very lowest.

SWENNUMSON & CO
MAIN STREET BOW ISLAND

Canvas and Rubber Shoes

FOR MEN, WOMEN & CHILDREN

POTATOES for SEED

M. J. BROPHY - - general merchant
MAIN STREET, BOW ISLAND.

Our best salesman



is the meat we sell. For every sale means a regular customer thereafter. You have only to taste our meat to know why this is so. The trial will not cost you anything extra. Our prices are no higher than those charged for just ordinary meat.

A. W. FULLER

Family Butcher Phone 8 Main Street

Chautauqua Visitors



We can supply your wants in the line of Auto Accessories, whether it is TIRES, TUBES, CHAINS, BUMPERS, S P A R K PLUGS, LENS, or the other articles necessary to a motorist's comfort, safety and convenience.

AND OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.
Wilmot & Henderson
BOW ISLAND

Summer-fallow Season will soon be here.

Our line of Gang Plows for this work is complete.

We have them in
EMERSON
HAMILTON
and COCKSHUTT

To work down your Summer-fallow we have two styles of CULTIVATORS. Call and see these.

Look up our line of
McLaughlin buggies.

S. G. JAMIESON & SON.

The Titan Tractor is in a class by itself. Get it.

THE BANK OF British North America

National
Service in the
Matter
of Money.

Victory and a permanent peace depend on a mighty effort now. Money is needed as much as men and munitions—money that comes from individual savings. Open an account in the Bank of British North America and begin now to save your share. Interest allowed at highest current rates.

Bow Island Branch — J. G. Carson, Manager

Legal.

PROMISE & LYONS

Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, Etc.
J. H. Lyons, J. M. Prowse
Bow Island every Thursday afternoon
FABER. ALFA

F. O. McKenna

Barrister, Solicitor and Notary Public
Office: MURDO BLOK
Main Street Bow Island

A Snap in Leased Lands

1200 acres of lease, Tps. 7, Rgs. 6, 10
years to run, well grassed, seven miles
good fence, 1 1/2 of water. \$1000
J. HARRIS & CO.
Lethbridge Phone 1112

Maternity.

Maternity cases attended. For
terms write to P.O. Box 182, Bow
Island, Alberta.

Wanted.

Girl Wanted for general housework
on farm. Address—Box 35, Bow
Island.

Strayed.

A light red yearling calf, strayed
about five weeks ago. Small white
spots, white on under side of body.
Reward of \$10 for recovery. Address
—Nels H. Frank, south-west 38-39,
Bow Island P.O.

MUSIC LESSONS.

Music Lessons are being given by
Miss Margaret McLeod on piano.
Piano Avenue. Pupils can have use
of piano at any time for practice.

Wanted.

Two first-class CARPENTERS, at
once. Apply—C. T. Dubs, Box 108,
Bow Island.

Wanted.

Second-hand breaker bottom for
John Deere 160, only. Apply—J.
L. Ley, Bow Island.

Local and General

Considerable dissatisfaction is being expressed by those who have in cross the river north of Bow Island at the poor service in connection with the ferry. The government apparently is not paying the least attention to its operation and is leaving the matter entirely to the district to arrange. What this means is not hard to conceive. The matter does not rightly come within the jurisdiction of the municipal district in which it is located and there is no other body interested. The ferry just now is an important means of communication between the north and the south and steps should be taken to bring the matter to the attention of those at Edmonton. Perhaps, if we may venture a suggestion, a combined effort by the Board of Trade and the Municipal District of Bow Island might result in something being done.

We are still without our Town Council. It appears from a letter received by the Town secretary that the necessary document authorizing the election has been prepared but is awaiting the signature of the lieutenant-governor, who unfortunately is away. It seems a remarkable thing to say, but apparently there is no precedent for a similar condition of things as at present exist in Bow Island and the government have had to prepare a special document dealing with the matter. Even, however, making allowance for this, it seems to us that there has been an unwarranted delay. If public matters of importance are required to await the pleasure of the lieutenant-governor, then either until the lieutenant-governor or amend the Town Act.

By the way who is to be our next Mayor. From present indications would say that the position is not appealing to many. We could almost wish luck the "palmy" days when our chief citizen was elected on the 15,000 population ticket. At least there is a little excitement going. It may be that we are just experiencing the ordinary calm, and any one of the e-days wake up and find our doors plastered with advice to "Vote for Johnny Parker." At least we have been advised not to be surprised if this happens.

It is a good thing for us in these days that the food controller has united to tax the wheat.

"Motorwise" Buyers are using McLaughlin Cars

McLaughlin cars are more
and more coming into popular
favor among Motor wise men who
make a minute study of real motor
car value.

Now that motor cars are such
a factor in business, men look for that
particular make of car representing
highest value for the amount
involved. McLaughlin cars give
uninterrupted service due to their
efficiency.

Men who buy McLaughlin cars
are assured of real service—the
kind of service which many com-
panies are unable to give.

McLaughlin cars are made in
Canada at the large McLaughlin
factories in Oshawa. They are
distributed through 12 directly
owned McLaughlin branches, and
over 400 dealers. Branches and
dealers keep repair parts and expert
mechanics, assuring prompt and
efficient service when it is needed.

ORDER NOW AND BE ASSURED OF PROMPT DELIVERY
The MCLAUGHLIN MOTOR CAR CO., Limited
OSHAWA, ONTARIO



WILMOT & HENDERSON, dealers, BOW ISLAND

The Bow Island branch of the Red
Cross Society wishes to thank the
ladies of the Women's Institute for
their donation of \$10.00.

At the Methodist conference held in
Edmonton last week, Rev. G. Bishop
was appointed to the pastorate of the
United Church, Ponoka, and Rev.
Veron M. Gilbert, B.A., B.D., ap-
pointed to the pastorate at Bow Is-
land. Mr. Gilbert has spent the last
year teaching at Wesley College,
Windsor, but has had several years
experience as a pastor in the northern
part of Alberta. He is highly ap-
preciated by both as a preacher and organizer
and the work at Bow Island should
prosper under his guidance.

Found—A purse on Main Street
containing a small sum of money.—
Enquire at Review office.

The United Aid will meet with Mrs.
F. MacWilliams on Thursday, June
30th. A good attendance is desired as
business of importance is to be dis-
cussed.

Do You Want Breaking Done?

If you want your land broken
and cannot make your own ar-
rangements, kindly notify A. E.
QUALLY, who has been appointed
by the Provincial Government for
the purpose of being together
those who have engines or horses and
can contract for breaking with
those who have the land to be
broken in the following territory: Ed-
monton, Calgary, Winnipeg, and
Lethbridge.

Can You Do Breaking?

If you are in a position to do
breaking get in touch with M.
QUALLY, who has been appointed
above, been sent here by the
government to tell you of those
who have breaking for you to do.

Board of Trade Building
Lethbridge
Phone 103

GILLETTE & PIPPUS

Fresh Fruits
Confectionery
Soft Drinks
Medicine Hat Ice-cream
Cigars & Tobaccos.

Service Guaranteed.
Lethbridge Avenue (near Railway
Crossing).

The big picture, "The Kaiser,
the Head of Berlin," will show at the
Elks Theatre, Bow Island, on Monday
June 17th, Matinee at 3:30. Adults
20c, children 10c. Evening perfor-
mance at nine o'clock. Adults 25c,
Children 10c.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE
DISTRICT OF CALGARY.

Between
MASSEY-HARRIS COMPANY
And
A. J. BLANCHETTE
Defendant
(Judgment Debtor)

There will be offered for sale by
Public Auction at the Sheriff's Office,
New York, Medicine Hat, in the
Province of Alberta, on SATURDAY
the 6th day of JULY, 1918, at the
hour of Eleven a.m., the following
property, namely, the Northwest
quarter of Section 36, in Township
14 Range 6, and the fourth Meridian
in the Province of Alberta, divided
and sixty (60) acres, more or
less.

Terms of Sale to be cash.
This real property will be offered
for sale free from encumbrances.
K. L. CHURCHILL,
Sheriff,
Judicial District of Medicine Hat.

Bow Island School District No. 1883

TENDERS FOR PURCHASE OF
SCHOOLHOUSE, etc.

The Trustees of the Bow Island
School District No. 1883 are prepared
to receive tenders for the purchase
of the old schoolhouse, situated south
of the town of Bow Island.

Tenders may also be received for
the purchase of the site of the schoolhouse
encompassing an acre more or less,
and about fifty double school desks, being
part of the furnishings of the above
schoolhouse.

Tenders may be submitted for the
above in part if desired.
Tenders must be self-liquidating
to accept the highest or any tender.
Tenders must be in the hands of the
Trustees by noon of THURSDAY, JULY
12th, 1918.

Dated at Bow Island, Alberta, this
12th day of June, 1918.

W. A. BATEMAN,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Bow Island School District No. 1883.

TOWN OF BOW ISLAND

Applications for Gas Superintendent,
Town Foreman and Police.

The Town of Bow Island is prepared
to receive applications for the com-
pleted position of Gas Superintendent,
Town Foreman and Police.

The salary has been fixed by the
Town Council at \$125.00 per month.
Particulars of duties required will
be made known on application to the
Secretary-Treasurer.

Applications for the above position
must be in the hands of the Town
Council by noon of FRIDAY, JUNE
14th, 1918.

Dated at Bow Island, Alberta, this
14th day of June, 1918.
W. A. BATEMAN,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Town of Bow Island

The big road attraction, "The Other
Man Wins," will show at the Elks
Theatre, Bow Island, on Wednesday, June
19th. Show at nine o'clock. Adults
\$1.00, children 50c.

Municipal District of Bow Island No. 94.

Assessment Roll 1918.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
the assessment roll of the Municipal
District of Bow Island No. 94, for the
year 1918, has been prepared and is
now open to inspection at the office of
the secretary of the municipal district
from ten o'clock in the forenoon until
two o'clock in the afternoon, and that
any person who desires to object to the
assessment of himself or of any other
person must within twenty days after
the date of this notice lodge his com-
plaint in writing with the secretary
of the above municipal district.
Dated at Bow Island, Alberta, this
20th day of May, 1918.

A. F. WRIGHT,
Assessor.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
Melville McLeod Foreman, in the
Province of Alberta, intends to apply
for a license to operate a pool room at
Main Street.
The application has been approved by
T. F. Phillips, Deputy Hervey.
MELVILLE McLEOD,
Applicant.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
Nels A. Gilborn, of Calgary, in the
Province of Alberta, intends to apply
for a license to operate a pool room at
Main Street.
The application has been approved by
Thomas H. Frankish, Deputy Hervey.
NELS A. GILBORN,
Applicant.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
Sidney Logan of Grassy Lake, in the
Province of Alberta, intends to apply
for a license to operate a pool room at
Main Street.
The application has been approved by
Paul Wattman.
SIDNEY LOGAN,
Applicant.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
Herman Abraham, Smith of Bow
Island, in the Province of Alberta,
intends to apply for a license to op-
erate a pool room at Main Street.
The application has been approved by
Walter H. O'Brien, Acting Mayor.
HERMAN A. SMITH,
Applicant.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
George Francis Ridgeway of Bow
Island, in the Province of Alberta,
intends to apply for a license to op-
erate a pool room at Main Street.
The application has been approved by
W. J. Gilmore, Deputy Hervey.
GEO. F. RIDGEWAY,
Applicant.

DATE OF REGISTRATION		CANADA REGISTRATION BOARD		SEVERAL MINUTES	
MONTH	DAY	YEAR			TO BE FILLED IN BY DEPUTY REGISTRAR
		1918			
1. Name in full (surname last) 2.					
Address (permanent) 3.					
4. Age? 5. Date of Birth? 6. Country of Birth? 7. Place? 8. Civil Status (Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced, etc.) 9. Religion? 10. Present occupation of wife? 11. (a) Present occupation of wife? (b) What is your regular occupation? (c) What other work can you do well? 12. Do you have any other means of support? 13. Do you have any other means of support? 14. Do you have any other means of support? 15. Do you have any other means of support? 16. Do you have any other means of support? 17. Do you have any other means of support? 18. Do you have any other means of support? 19. Do you have any other means of support? 20. Do you have any other means of support? 21. Do you have any other means of support? 22. Do you have any other means of support? 23. Do you have any other means of support? 24. Do you have any other means of support? 25. Do you have any other means of support? 26. Do you have any other means of support? 27. Do you have any other means of support? 28. 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Don't forget to register on Saturday, June 22nd. The act is compulsory and heavy penalties are provided for non-compliance. In Bardett the places of registration will be at the church and the old town hall. Among those who have offered their services as deputy-registers are Mrs. Hardie, Miss Rosten, Miss Hennessey and Mr. McGuire. These, however, will be glad of assistance and those who desire to assist should consult any of the foregoing as quickly as possible in order that all necessary arrangements may be made previous to the 22nd.]

Frequent complaints are being made as to the condition of the roads between Burdett and Grassy Lake, the condition of which in many places is regarded as intolerable. It is understood that this comes within the jurisdiction of the Municipality of Bow Island, and many of the farmers are of the idea that this part of the municipality is being neglected. It is said that the matter was brought before the Council some time ago but the excuse was made that it was impossible to get labor or opinion. Whether this is so or not seems to be the general opinion. The just now men could be procured for the purpose, and it is hoped that the municipality will get something done.

Mrs. A. Hamilton is expected home from the coast on Sunday next. Her return will be welcomed by a large number of friends.

Walter Ackroyd of Mugarth gave a very pleasing address here on Sunday last in the L. D. S. Church, his subject being "The science of genealogy." There was a large attendance.

A. Hamilton is having his house on the hill this week painted and newly-decorated throughout previous to Mrs. Hamilton's return. Bob Brownell has the work in hand and as usual is doing a first-class job.

Jim Neil started shearing on Monday and expects to have six shearers at work. His sheep wintered well, and the lamb crop was highly satisfactory, averaging about 85 per cent. There are about 3000 sheep to go through the hands of the shearers and it may therefore be concluded that the next few days will see a busy time.

Work was commenced this week on the foundation of the new school. A large gang of men has arrived and it is hoped that the work will be rushed through in order to have the pupils enter the new building immediately after the holidays.

Mr. Dyzenstein who left this week to work in Calgary appears to have had a rather unfortunate experience there. Walking down the street he was accosted by one of the military and asked to produce his papers of identification. Apparently neither these were unsatisfactory or they were not sufficient, and the excuse tendered by him for not being in uniform did not satisfy and it was not until a phone message sent to Burdett brought his wife to Calgary that he was at last released from custody. It is a moral attached to this and to those who all to profit by it will probably share Mr. Dyzenstein's experience.

Satisfactory reports reach us relative to the progress being

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
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In these grave days of battle which

relief and satisfaction to know that

we of British and Canada are im-

ported by warriors of the most gal-

lant army in the world—the army of

France. For we are allies, through

and through. Our men and theirs

have made it so, by the well-known

of their great deeds, and again the

other day after the review by Clem-

ence when, our tired veterans,

called upon by their commanding

officer to cheer for France, "We are

charge," writes the correspondent,

cheered themselves hoarse with an-

der. Our soldiers and their have

thus joined hand and heart, when

the need was great. Shall our civi-

lians do less when they read this ap-

write.

Henry Bordeaux, the well-known

French author of the "Last Days of

Fort Vaux" of Verdun fame, has

lately been to the Swiss frontier to

witness the arrival of the repatriates

at Evian.

Every day, and twice a day, ten

twelve to thirteen hundred repatriates

are put down at that station, and in

a convey of 600 to about 200 will be

children. It is of these only he

writes.

"The station is decorated with

flags. Here is music. The children

get out gravely, so doleful, humble,

and disciplined. They are dressed

in blue, and they are very clean. They

form into line. Watch them pass,

in good order, by preference in the

order of their arrival. They are all

in a cellar. At last! At last! I see

a child smile! Surely they are not

hungry, these children, but no, see

how calm they are. 'Aren't you

hungry, little one?' 'I had some-

thing this morning.' 'That's not

orange, child, would you like an

orange or chocolate?' 'No, thank

you.' 'What strange questions!' 'But

'Afterwards they are divided

up to the bath and some to the

doctor. We follow the first. Oh

how sad! Where do they come

from? Will God send us artists to

observe, to record the scenes of human

tragedy for future generations?

Little chests with little bolts

curved spines, chicken legs, skele-

tons of little who had been here

do not know you. But hurry on

there is a rush. If you do not get

the ticket, you are out of the

line. What is all this? What is

the terrible, too-prevailing

tragedy. What is your name,

little one? 'Antoine.' 'And

your father? 'I don't know.' 'Where

is your mother? 'He was here

two days. 'And your mother? 'She

is dead.' 'And your child? 'She

was here today.' 'Do you understand? They are

children without anyone to

look after them, without a

home, without a roof. And be-

cause of this, they are here.

Retired farmers are numerous in

Canada. They can perform a national

service by selling their experi-

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order to relieve the farm labor short-

age.

Potato Pointers

Soil for Potatoes Should Be Well Prepared Before Planting

Potatoes usually succeed well when grown after clover seed. In an experiment at the Central Experimental Farm, covering three years, there was an average increase of 17 bushels per acre of potatoes where clover had been sown with grain and plowed under, over the plot where clover was grown alone.

The soil for potatoes should be well prepared before planting. Unless the soil is rich in nutrients, when the soil is moderately firm, the potatoes will be small and the yield will be low. In loose soil the tubers will be smooth and shapely. In soil which is firm or stiff the potatoes are usually misshapen and not nearly so attractive.

Many experiments have been tried to determine the best kind of sets to plant, and, on the whole, it has been found that good marketable tubers cut into pieces so as to have at least three good eyes to a piece, and a liberal amount of flesh, are the best.

While shallow planting has given the best yields at Ottawa in loose, sandy loam soil, the most economical depth is from four to five inches for good heavy soils on account of the harrowing which is necessary to destroy weeds, and which saves the seed from being washed away.

The Central Experimental Farm an experiment has been conducted to determine the most economical distance apart in the rows to plant varieties of average vigor. After deducting the seed the net average yield was greater from the sets planted in the 12-inch row, with sets 14 inches apart, than from the sets planted in the 12-inch row, with sets 16 inches apart.

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Lesson Taught the Germans by the First Canadian Division

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On a quiet sunny afternoon, the Germans, after a long day of waiting, launched their great offensive, which was to give them the Colaba coast and the key to England.

Their attack was preceded by a devastating cloud of gas—the most deadly weapon that could be devised by German science.

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Winnifred.

A serious fire occurred at the farm of M. J. Collins on Tuesday, June 11, and resulted in considerable property being destroyed. It appears that Mr. and Mrs. Collins were visiting at Medicine Hat and did not know of the fire until their return home. The fire apparently started about twenty minutes prior to five in the evening, and Frank Clausen who was working in his field at the time saw the smoke and hastily running over arrived in time to save the harness. Jack Hygg and John Poppal also rendered valuable assistance in watching the house and guiding the children until the return of their parents. The fire, which is supposed to have started in a manure pile, burnt down the barn, granary, pig pen and garage.

Mrs. Jas. Castle visited Bow Island between trains.

Whittle played Winnifred ball team on Sunday, Winnifred making a winning game 2 to 1.

The Winnifred Red Cross is arranging a musical concert, at which there will appear twenty-five artists from Medicine Hat. A chicken supper will be served at seven o'clock in honor of the entertainers.

The Ladies' Aid is holding a contest and with this purpose in view the members have divided themselves into two parties, thirty in each. One side is to be known as the "Old Rose Circle" and the other as the "Blue Ribbon Workers." The Old Rose Circle served a new England dinner on Saturday and the Blue Workers had a basket social in the Cherry Coulter schoolhouse. Each side is doing excellent work and exhibiting considerable energy. The idea is to see which side will raise the most money, and the contest is to last from June 1st to September 1st.

Mr. Harvey Davis has purchased Fred Lovegrove's two-roomed house and is now building an addition.

MURRAY - FRANKS.
In St. John's Church, Medicine Hat, on June 11th, by Rev. J. W. Morrow, Mr. George William Murray, Whita, was united in marriage to Miss Jessie Franks of North Carolina.

Big Celebration at Winnifred on June 26th.

Sixth Annual Picnic.

The sixth annual picnic of the Winnifred Agricultural Society will be held at Winnifred on Wednesday, June 29th. In addition to a good long program of sports, there will be two speakers and a big dance in the evening. There will be no admission to the grounds, and it is hoped that everyone will turn out and endeavor to make this picnic a bigger success than ever.

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than ever. The following is the program of sports:—

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Boys' foot race under 10	\$1.00 .50
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Girls' foot race under 10	1.00 .20
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Men's free-for-all, 100 yards dash	2.00 1.50
Women's free-for-all, 50 yds.	2.00 .50
Men's running broad jump	2.00 1.00
Men's running high jump	2.00 1.00
Boys' pony race, 111-2 hails or under	5.00 2.00
Girls' do	5.00 2.00
Free-for-all running race \$10	5.00 2.00
Stake race, free-for-all	5.00 2.00
Bucking contest, free-for-all	10.00 5.00

In addition to the above there will also be a tug-of-war between the north and south and some good baseball games.

Chautauqua now on in Bow Island.

Form of Advertisement.
TENDERS
FOR SCHOOL-HOUSE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Board of Trustees of the Consolidated School District No. 10, Winnifred, Alberta, at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer up to noon of MONDAY, JUNE 17th, 1918, for the erection of a brick and frame school building. Plans and specifications may be seen at the above-mentioned office and may be obtained from A. M. Jeffers, A.A.A., Registered Architect, Edmonton, on payment of a deposit of \$10.00, which will be returned on receipt of a bona fide tender with plans and specifications. A marked cheque amounting to five per cent of tender shall accompany same. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

EDWARD GOSSELIN,
Secretary-Treasurer.
Address—Winnifred, Alberta.
Dated May 25th, 1918.

Reports from all over the district state that rain is beginning to be badly needed.

MATCH AND CARD TAX

With the withdrawal of imported matches from the market in the next few weeks and the inauguration of a tax on Canadian matches on July 1 a real conservation of matches will begin. That this is necessary is pointed out by the fact that such a conservation will aid in the manufacture of the needed supply of explosives.

The coming tax will mean one cent a box of one hundred matches and after that date all boxes on the shelves of stores will have to carry the stamp with an extra cent for every further hundred in the box, thus raising a box of 500 to the price of 15 cents. Boxes containing 50 and 75 matches will also require a one-cent stamp affixed.

On playing cards a tax of eight cents will also be placed regardless of the price or make of cards. For non-compliance with these orders the penalty attached is a fine of not less than \$50 and not more than \$250.

Hot Weather Bargains.

Reg. 25c. Gingham - - - 18c

Reg. 30c. Gingham - - - 22 1-2c

All Dress Goods reduced
in price.

Reg. 2.00 Ladies' Waists 1.65

Reg. 2.45 Ladies' Waists 1.95

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Reg. 3.45 " - - - 2.45

Reg. 3.50 Men's Canvas Shoe 2.95

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